

We, the members of CHI ALPHA, a local fraternity at Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio, do hereby petition for admittance to ALPHA SIGMA PHI FRATERNITY as an active chapter thereof:

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Glenn V. Glaze
Thomas Gordon
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Robert F. Wall
Donald C. Weber
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Charles J. Wigan
Richard C. Zbornik

Alumnus

Ralph Scott

Faculty Advisors

Edward S. Chaplin
M. Harold Mickle

In September, 1946, the Rover Club was organized as a local club on the Bowling Green State University campus by a group of twelve students. The Rover Club in September, 1947, split into two groups: Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity, and Chi Alpha social club. The organizers of Chi Alpha were William Thompson, Donald Groshong, Ralph Scott, and Robert Henry.

For the remainder of that semester this group met weekly, with the following men as officers: William Thompson, President; Donald Groshong, Vice-President; Robert Henry, Secretary; and Ralph Scott, Treasurer. Faculty advisors at this time were Mr. Harold Mickle of the Speech Department, and Mr. William Knight, of the Business Administration Department. Under the rules of the University Administration, the Constitution of the newly formed fraternity had to be ratified by the Student Senate, and this was done on February 23, 1948. Soon after the Constitution was ratified, a pin of black and gold was adopted by Chi Alpha.

By April, 1948, the Chi Alpha Fraternity consisted of 19 members. On May 26, 1948, the yearly elections were held, in which the following officers were elected; James Michelich President; Donald Groshong, Vice-President; Edward Norwesh, Treasurer; Robert Henry, Secretary; Leland Evans, Pledge-master; and Robert Kabat, House Chairman and Sargeant-at-Arms. At this time, the members signed as a group for North Annex

#6, one of the University's outlying dormitories, where the group could live together as a fraternity.

The Fall Semester of 1948 found the Fraternity in its new quarters. Don Groshong failed to return to college and Louis Summey was elected Vice-President to replace him. Mr. William Knight transferred to another school, leaving the Fraternity with only one faculty advisor.

With an increasing active membership, the Fraternity entered Inter-Fraternity sports competition. The results of this activity found Chi Alpha in third place in the touch football league, second place in golf competition, and by January, 1949, found the Fraternity in a three way tie for eighth place of the thirteen fraternities in the Inter-Fraternity competition.

To encourage Fraternity spirit between Pledges and actives, the first annual Snow Bowl Touch Football game was originated. In keeping with the newly established tradition of the Fraternity, the contest was held in a blinding snow storm, with the temperature hovering near zero.

In the scholastic field for the first semester 1948-1949, the Fraternity had fifteen percent of its members on the Deam's List (those students having an average of 3 point or better). One member is in Book and Motor, the local scholastic honorary; and one member in Phi Alpha Chi, the local

accounting honorary.

On April 6, 1949, Chi Alpha was recognized by the Inter-Fraternity Council as a local Fraternity on the Bowling Green State University campus. Two days later, the Fraternity held its first annual closed formal dance to celebrate its recognition.

In May, 1949, the yearly elections were held. The newly elected officers were; Louis Summey, President; Donald Weber, Vice-President; Douglas Hartzell, Secretary; Gerald Ryder, Treasurer; Walter Rinaldo, Pledgemaster; and Richard Hartland, House Chairman and Sargeant-at-Arms. Scholastically, the Fraternity ranked third for the Spring Semester among the fourteen fraternities on campus, and was the only local fraternity in the first eight, with an average of slightly better than 2.55. Thirty percent of its members were on the Dean's List and two more members were initiated into Phi Alpha Chi, accounting honorary.

The Fall Semester, 1949, opened with twenty-eight members returning to college, and the Fraternity immediately entered all Inter-Fraternity competition. In keeping with the ambitions of the Fraternity, its largest pledge class was formed. After the required pledge period, a banquet was held to celebrate the initiation of the new members. Another milestone was reached with the playing of the Second Annual Snow Bowl Touch Football game on a windswept and slippery

field.

In October, 1949, four additional members were initiated into Phi Alpha Chi and two more members were admitted into Book and Motor. In November, Chi Alpha sponsored an all-campus record dance which was very successful. One member also joined Pi Sigma Alpha, a Political Science national honorary fraternity. A party was held in January 1950 for the departing graduates.

In the Spring Semester, 1950, the Fraternity, through the kindness of Dr. Prout, President of the University, was able to reach previously unattainable heights by receiving on-campus housing accommodations in Ivy Hall. To celebrate the occupation of our new quarters, an all-campus open house was held. Mell Nelson was elected to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of the previous Pledgemaster, Walter Rinaldo.

Through hard and diligent work Chi Alpha has advanced to achieve scholastically the second highest rating of the fourteen fraternities on the Bowling Green campus for the Fall Semester, 1949-1950.

Six members of the Fraternity are married.

Recently, Chi Alpha has given several parties for the members and their dates in its lounge on weekends. On April 15, 1950, an all-campus semi-formal dance was sponsored, the

theme of which was to celebrate Chi Alpha's recognition as a local fraternity. As a feature event of the dance, a waltz contest was held where-by a waltz king and queen were selected and presented with loving cups.

With the treasured memories of the past and with a most fervent desire for continued success, brotherhood, and prosperity in future years, Chi Alpha seeks to justify the faith in democracy of today.



Standing, left to right - Boyer, DeLonjay, Abell
Sitting, Left to right - Abazia, Durbin

Frank Anthony Abazia

Frank was born on September 7, 1925, in Cleveland, Ohio, of Italian parents. His present address is 1694 Lakewood Ave., East Cleveland, Ohio. Frank's grammar school education was received at Kirk Junior High School, and he attended and was graduated from Shaw High School in 1944. Frank is Catholic. He is majoring in education and is planning to teach industrial arts after graduating in 1951. He is also a member of the Industrial Arts Club.

Warren Rex Abell

Warren was born in Cleveland, Ohio, on September 5, 1926, of English and Irish parents. He received his grammar school education at Kirk Junior High School, and was graduated from

Shaw High School in June of 1944. He first attended Western Reserve of Cleveland and then transferred to Bowling Green. He is majoring in advertising and plans to graduate in 1952.

Paul Charles Boyer

Paul resides on Route 1, Montpelier, Ohio. He was born of American parentage on April 29, 1929, in the afore mentioned town. His religious affiliation is with the Evangelical United Brethren Church. Paul's primary and secondary education was received in his home town. Besides belonging to Chi Alpha, Paul belongs to the marching and concert bands and the Biology Club.

Russell Eugene DeLonjay

Russell was born December 18, 1928, at Toledo, Ohio. At the present time he resides in care of Leo Crago in Millbury, Ohio. His nationality is indeterminate, but he is believed to be of pure French descent. Russ' grammar school education was obtained at Wayne Grammar School in Toledo, Ohio, and his high school education was obtained at Lake Township School in the same town, where he was graduated in 1947. While in High School, Russ was a member of the YMCA. At the present time, he is affiliated with the Church of the Brother. Russ expects to graduate in 1951 from the College of Liberal Arts with a degree in Economics. Rus is also a member of the Pre-Law Club.

Thomas Louis Durbin

Tom, whose parents are German and Irish, was born May 29, 1930, in New Riegel, Ohio, where he now resides. He received his elementary and secondary education at New Riegel Public School, where he was active in dramatics. He was also a member of the County Honor Society, and the County Male and Mixed Choruses. Tom, who is a member of the Catholic Church, is an accounting major in the College of Business Administration. He expects to graduate in 1951. Besides being Social Chairman of Chi Alpha, Tom is a member of the Newman Club, Square Dance Club, and the BGSU Farm Bureau Youth Council.



Standing, Left to right - Dreslinski, Gerding, Glaze
Sitting, Left to right - Gordon, Henry

Myron Edward Dreslinski

Myron, who is of Polish descent, was born on September 8, 1929 in Cleveland, Ohio. At the present time, he lives on Creek Road in Kingsville, Ohio. Myron was schooled at Saint Stanislaus Parochial School, A. B. Hart and South High School of Cleveland before graduating from Kingsville High School in that town in 1947. In high school Myron was a member of the Glee Club and varsity track team. Myron expects to graduate from Bowling Green State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration in 1951.

Richard Henry Gerding

Richard was born January 1, 1926 in Columbus Grove, Ohio of German parentage. He is a member of the Catholic

Church and presently resides at RFD 1, in Columbus Grove. Dick attended St. Michael's Parochial School in Kalida, Ohio before going to Kalida High School where he graduated in 1944. He was a member of the Science and 4-H Clubs in high school. Richard hopes to graduate from Bowling Green in 1951 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Education.

Glenn Valfred Glaze

Glenn, who is more commonly known to his friends as "Pete", was born on March 5, 1929 in Akron, Ohio of Engl - German parentage. He was graduated from Copley High School in 1947. While in high school Glenn participated in Hi-Y activities and was a member of the varsity track team. Presently he is the Athletic Director for Chi Alpha. Glenn intends to graduate from the College of Business Administration in 1951.

Thomas Carlton Gordon

Tom, who is more commonly known to others in the fraternity as "Clown", is an out of state student from Elmira, New York. His home residence is at 323 West Clinton Street in that city. Tom was born November 2, 1927 in Bradford, Pennsylvania. He attended Ward Elementary in Bradford before enrolling in and graduating from Woodhill High School, Woodhill, New York in 1947. He previously attended Mohawk College before entering Bowling Green where he is majoring in Mathematics in the College of Education. He hopes to graduate in 1951. Tom is active in intra-mural sports and while in high school, was a member of the varsity basketball and football teams. He belongs to the Methodist Church.

Robert Ward Henry

Bob, who is one of Chi Alpha's charter members, was born March 5, 1928 in Elyria, Ohio. His home residence is 246 Princeton Avenue in Elyria. Bob, who is of Franco-German descent, is a member of the Methodist Church. He attended McKinley School before entering Elyria High School where he was graduated from in 1946. His high school activities included varsity tennis, Hi-Y's, and scouting activities. At Bowling Green he is a member of the Rifle and Sailing Clubs. Bob, a Business Administration major, expects to graduate from Bowling Green in 1950.



Standing, Left to right - Norwesh, Kabat, Popek
Sitting, Left to right - Splain, Summey

Robert Edward Kabat

Robert, former Chi Alpha House Chairman and Sargeant at Arms, was born June 24, 1926 in Cleveland, Ohio. His home residence is located at 3133 West 17th Place in that city. Of Polish parentage Bob is a member of the Episcopalian Church. Bob attended Scranton and Tremont elementary schools before attending Lincoln and West Tech high schools, graduating from the latter in 1943. He was a member of the football and track squads while in high school. He attended Western Reserve University in Cleveland before enrolling at Bowling Green where he is majoring in Comprehensive Social Studies in the College of Education. A senior, Bob is active in Workshop Players, intramural sports, campus dramatic productions, and the Future Teachers of America.

Edward Lawrence Norwesh

Ed was born May 29, 1929 in Locust Valley, New York. His present home residence is at 2 Singer Place, Glen Cove, New York. Ed, who is of Lithuanian parentage, attended schools in Glen Cove and graduated from the Senior High School there in 1946. While at high school, Ed was elected to membership in the National Honor Society, and also took part in other activities which included band, and the Latin and French Clubs. At Bowling Green Ed is active in intramural sports and is majoring in Finance in the College of Business Administration. He is also a member of the Newman Club, campus organization for Catholic students, and the University Band.

Louis Thaddeus Popek

Louis was born June 15, 1926 in Cleveland, Ohio of Polish parents. A member of the Catholic Church, Lou attended St. John Cantius School before entering Lincoln High where he graduated in 1944. High school activities included basketball and football. He also belonged to the Tollentees and the Delta H-Y. He attended John Carroll University in Cleveland before enrolling at Bowling Green. Here he is majoring in Earth Science in the College of Education. He is a member of the varsity football squad and is Chi Alpha's publicity chairman. Lou expects to graduate in 1951.

Charles Walter Splain

Charles was born August 11, 1925 in Cincinnati, Ohio. Charles now resides at 1355 Manor Park Drive in Lakewood, Ohio. He graduated from Lakewood High School in 1943 after attending Harding Junior High. While at Lakewood High he was active in the Newton Society and the Science Club. Charles also attended Wright Junior College of Chicago, Grove City College of Grove City, Pennsylvania, and Case Tech of Cleveland before coming to Bowling Green. He is a member of Phi Alpha Chi, local accounting honorary, and is majoring in Accounting in the College of Business Administration. Of Episcopalian denomination, Mr. Splain intends to graduate in June, 1950 and do graduate work the following semester.

Louis Joseph Summay

The present President of Chi Alpha, Lou hails from Fremont, Ohio where he resides at 808 South Street. Lou was born January 30, 1921 in his home town. Lou is of Scottish-German descent. He attended St. Joseph's Parochial and Senior High School in Fremont where he was

a member of the Gregorian Chant Club and on the Principal's Honor List. He attended Baldwin Wallace College of Berea before entering Bowling Green where he is majoring in Accounting in the College of Business Administration. A senior, Lou expects to graduate in June of 1950. Lou is a member of the Rifle Club and Phi Alpha Chi.



Standing, left to right - Dick Hartland, Koontz
Bob Hartland
Sitting, left to right - Cameron, Resar

William Alexander Cameron

Born May 23, 1927 in Lorain, Ohio, Bill still resides with his parents at 1749 East 31st Street in that city. A member of the Presbyterian Church, he is of Scotch-Irish descent. Bill attended Lowell Elementary and Whittier Junior High before enrolling and graduating from Lorain High School in 1945. At this school, Bill was active with the Acappella Choir, the band and the chess club. He attended the University of Kentucky before enrolling in Bowling Green State University where he is majoring in Arts-Education. He is majoring in Political Science and is active in the International Relations Club, Pre-law Club, and the Book and Motor local honorary. He also is vice-president of Pi Sigma Alpha, national political science honorary. He expects to graduate in June of 1951.

Richard Atwood Hartland

Dick, who resides at 3201 Chestnutdale Avenue in Cleveland, Ohio, was born of Czech and English parents on October 17, 1926. He received his elementary education in Cleveland at Denison, Milford and Thomas Jefferson before attending and graduating from West Tech High in January of 1945. He was active with the Fencing Club, Foreman Guild Senior Book Committee, and the Home Room Club. Dick attended Baldwin-Wallace and Cleveland College before entering Bowling Green where he is an Industrial Arts major and plans to graduate in June of 1950. He is a member of the Industrial Arts Club and is House Chairman of the Chi Alpha fraternity. His religious affiliation is with the Evangelical United Brethren Church.

Robert Everson Hartland

Born October 17, 1926 in Cleveland, Ohio, he now resides at 3201 Chestnutdale Avenue. A member of the Evangelical United Brethren Church, he is of Czech and English descent. Bob attended Denison, Milford, and Thomas Jefferson before attending and graduating from West Tech in 1945. Bob attended Baldwin-Wallace and Cleveland College before coming to Bowling Green where he is majoring in Industrial Arts in the College of Education. While in high school, he was active in the Fencing Club as well as dramatics and he was a home room officer. At college, he is in the Industrial Arts Club and he takes an active part in many intra-mural sports. A senior, Bob expects to graduate in June, 1950.

Albert Clayton Koontz

Al hails from East Palestine, Ohio, where he was born February 2, 1929. The son of English and German parents, he lives at 370 East Clark Street. Al attended the East North Avenue School and the East Palestine Junior and Senior High Schools where he graduated in 1947. At Bowling Green, Al is an accounting major in the College of Business Administration and he expects to graduate in June of 1951. He is a member of Phi Alpha Chi, and is affiliated with the United Presbyterian Church.

Nicholas Robert Resar

Nick was born August 13, 1928, in Elyria where he now resides at 1435 East River Street. A Catholic, and of German descent, Nick attended St. Mary's and Elyria High where he graduated in 1948. While in high school, Nick was all-state guard on the football team and president of the Varsity "E" Club. At Bowling Green, Nick is majoring in Retailing in the College of Business Administration and will graduate in 1952.



Standing, left to right - Hartzell, Wischow, Morgan
Sitting, left to right - Kretz, McClelland

Douglas Ellsworth Hartzell

Douglas, who is Secretary and Song-Leader of the fraternity, was born May 7, 1929 in Dayton, Ohio of German Parentage. His home address is R.R. #4, Box 36, Dayton, Ohio. He received his education in Madison Township in Trotwood, Ohio, where he was graduated in 1947. High school activities included leadership in Hi-Y functions, and the high school band, orchestra, and Music Club. In Bowling Green, he is associated with Book and Motor local honorary, Kappa Kappa Psi, Phi Sigma Mu, and Kappa Delta Pi. A Music Major at Bowling Green, Douglas hopes to graduate in 1951.

Glenn Raymond Krotz

Glenn was born May 3, 1923, in North Irwin, Pennsylvania, of Gorman-Czech parentage. He still resides at 40 Lincoln Avenue in the town of his birth. A member of the Methodist Church, Glenn attended North Irwin schools and graduated from the Senior High School in 1941. Glenn is majoring in Comprehensive Social Studies in the College of Education and hopes to graduate from Bowling Green State University in 1950. He is affiliated with the Student Christian Fellowship organization on Bowling Green's campus.

Dale Marshall McClelland

Dale hails from North Irwin, Pennsylvania, where he now resides at First Street Extension. Of Scottish descent, Dale is a member of the First Christian Church. He was graduated from North Irwin High School in 1946. At Bowling Green, he is majoring in Business Education in the College of Education.

Joseph Elmer Morgan

Joe was born April 18, 1926, in Van Wert, Ohio and he still lives in that town at 503 Center Street. He passed up through Van Wert's school system and graduated in 1944 from the Senior High School. Of Welsh descent, Joe is a member of the Methodist Church. At Bowling Green, Joe is an accounting major in the College of Business Administration and is active in Inter-Fraternity sports. A member of Phi Alpha Chi, Joe is Chi Alpha's alternative representative on the Inter-Fraternity Council. Joe plans on graduating in January of 1951.

Herbert Carl Wischow

Herb was born July 18, 1929, in New York City of German parentage. He now resides at 406 LaReine Avenue in Bradley Beach, New Jersey. A member of the Methodist Church, he graduated from Asbury High School in 1947, where he was active in the Athletic Scholarship Society, the Hi-Y Club, and varsity baseball and basketball. He attended Washington and Jefferson College before coming to Bowling Green where he is majoring in Chemistry and expects to graduate in 1951.



Standing, left to right - Pokorny, Wolfe
Sitting, left to right - C. Nelson, M. Nelson

Clifford Charles Nelson II

Cliff was born December 11, 1929, in Toledo, Ohio, of English parentage. He presently resides at 1532 Lebanon Street in Toledo. A member of the Evangelical United Brethern Church, he received his primary and secondary schooling at Oakdale School and graduated from Waite High School in 1947. While at Waite, he played basketball and was a member of the track and cross country squads. He was also a member of the Optimates, a Latin society. Cliff, also known to his friends as "Grogg", is majoring in Insurance and Industrial Management and intends to graduate from the College of Business Administration in 1951.

Mell Nelson

Mell, Cliff's older brother, was born in Toledo on February 5, 1927. Mell also lives at 1532 Lebanon Street and belongs to the Evangelical United Brethern Church. He received his earlier schooling at Hathaway and Oakdale schools and was graduated from Waite High School in 1945. He is at present the Pledge-Master of Chi Alpha and an active enthusiast in inter-fraternity sports competition. Mell is majoring in Insurance in the College of Business Administration and hopes to graduate in June of 1950.

George R. Pokorny

George was born March 29, 1928, in Cleveland, Ohio, where he resides presently at 11821 Cooley Avenue. Of Polish parentage, George is a member of the Catholic Church. He attended St. Stanislaus Parochial School and St. Vincent de Paul before entering and graduating from St. Ignatius High School in 1947. While in high school, George was associate Editor of the Yearbook; News Editor of the school paper; and affiliated with the Debating Society, Sodality Club, Art Club, Scholastic Leadership, and sports. He also attended John Carroll University in Cleveland where he was Secretary of the Freshman Class; President of the Sophomore Class, Feature writer of the John Carroll News; and affiliated with the Booster Club, Student Union, and Sodality. At Bowling Green, George is president of the International Relations Club, Social Chairman of the Newman Club, and a member of the Pre-law Club, and also affiliated with the Emerson Literary Society. He is a Political Science major in the College of Liberal Arts and hopes to graduate in January, 1951.

Earl Philip Wolfe

Earl was born October 19, 1927 in Toledo, Ohio of German parentage. He now resides at RFD #1, Perrysburg, Ohio. He took his elementary education at Lake Township School and was graduated from Lake Township High School in 1947 where he excelled in athletics. Earl is a major in Physical Education and Biology in the College of Education and expects to be graduated in 1951.



Standing, left to right - Tindall and Veverka
Sitting, left to right - Wyans and Zbornik

Donald Russell Tindall

Don lives at RFD #2 in Trenton, New Jersey, where he was born of English parents on August 5, 1930. He had attended Dutch Neck Elementary school before going to Princeton High where he graduated in 1948. He was a member of the Chemistry Club and Photography Club as well as serving on the Newspaper staff. Don was awarded a \$250 scholarship upon graduating from high school. At Bowling Green, he is a Journalism major in the College of Liberal Arts. A member of the Press Club and on the staff of the BEE GEE News, he will graduate in 1952. Don is affiliated with the Presbyterian Church.

Eugene Anthony Veverka

Born May 1, 1927, of Czech parentage, Gene lives with his parents at 3861 East 153rd street in Cleveland, Ohio. A member of the Catholic Church, he first attended Holy Family Parochial School before going to Moses Cleaveland Junior High. He graduated from East Technical High School in 1947. Gene is an English major at Bowling Green. He is in the College of Education and expects to teach English, Journalism, or Speech some day, if he does not work for a newspaper. At Bowling Green, Gene is active with the Press Club and he is a sports writer for the BEE GEE News. He was Publicity Chairman for the World Student Service Fund Drive on campus, and he writes radio news for the WRSN campus radio station. Gene also takes an active part with football and baseball in intra-mural sports and he belongs to the Newman Club. He is a junior and plans to graduate in June, 1950.

Charles Joseph Wyans

Chuck was born May 21, 1927, in Fostoria, Ohio, of German parentage. He now resides in that town at 315 East Sixth Street. A graduate of Fostoria High in 1945, he was a member of the National Honor Society and the Junior and Senior Hi-Y. He also was active with the YMCA and he played on the varsity football team. At Bowling Green, he is majoring in Industrial Arts in the College of Education. He is a member of the Industrial Arts Club and is a center on the Falcon football squad. Chuck plans on graduating in February, 1952.

Richard Carl Zbornik

Dick was born October 30, 1929 in Cleveland, Ohio, of Czech parents. He now lives on Route 422 in Welshfield, Ohio. Dick attended Gracemount Elementary and Moses Cleaveland Junior High before enrolling and graduating from John Adams High School in 1947. While in high school, he was a member of the varsity and the golf squad. He is a pre-med student at Bowling Green and is a member of the Varsity Club, the golf team, the Cadecus and Alpha Epsilon Delta, a pre-med honorary. Dick, who takes an active part in intra-mural sports, plans to graduate in June of 1951.



Standing, left to right - Ryder, Wall
Sitting, left to right - Weber

Gerald J. Ryder

Gerald, who lives at 215 East Wooster Street in New Rochelle, New York, was born September 4, 1926, of Irish-German parentage. He attended Jefferson Elementary and Issac Young Junior High Schools before enrolling at Albert Leonard High School where he was graduated in 1944. While in high school he was a member of the National Honor Society. He previously attended St. Lawrence University in Canton, New York. At Bowling Green, he is affiliated with Alpha Phi Omega, Newman Club, Quill and Type, Future Teachers of America, and the Off-Campus Club. A senior in the College of Education, Gerald expects to graduate with a degree in Distributive Education in June of 1950. He is the present Treasurer of Chi Alpha.

Robert Franklin Wall

Bob was born in Tiffin, Ohio, of Swedish-German parentage on June 16, 1929. He resides at 414 North Washington Street in that town at present. Bob attended Noble Elementary before graduating from Columbian High School in 1947. An honor student, Bob worked on the student annual at that school. He previously attended Heidelberg College before enrolling at Bowling Green. Affiliated with the Lutheran Church, Bob is majoring in accounting in the College of Business Administration at this University and is a member of Phi Alpha Chi, the local Accounting Honorary. Bob hopes to graduate in 1951.

Donald Carl Weber

Don, one of our married men, was born January 8, 1927 in Cleveland, Ohio, and now resides with his wife at 21457 Southpark Road in Fairview Park, a suburb of Cleveland. A member of the Evangelical and Reformed Church, Don is of German parentage. After attending McKinley Elementary, he enrolled in and later graduated from John Marshall High School in the city of Cleveland. After graduating in 1945, he enrolled in the College of Education at this school and hopes to graduate in 1950. High School activities included Hi-Y and Projection Clubs. At Bowling Green, Don is affiliated with the Student Christian Fellowship, the Future Teachers of America and the Emerson Literary Society.

Standing, left to right - Burbridge, Maurer, Rogers
Sitting, left to right - Marchand, Brown

Gerald Mark Brown

Gerald was born June 10, 1927 in Brentwood, Pennsylvania, of white parentage of unknown origin. Presently he is living at 1854 East 31st Street, Lorain, Ohio. He received his grammar school education at the Rochelle P. S. in Pittsburgh. He also attended Carrick High School in Pittsburgh but was graduated from Brentwood High School in Brentwood in 1944. High school activities included Hi-Y activities. Before attending Bowling Green State University, Mark attended Johns Hopkins University. Mark is affiliated with the Presbyterian Church. He is majoring in Political Science and is a member of the Pre-Law Club at Bowling Green. He hopes to graduate from the College of Liberal Arts in 1953 with a B. A. in Political Science.

John Raymond Burbridge

John was born April 16, 1930 in Cleveland, Ohio. His present home address is 3088 West 116th Street in that city. Of Scotch-Irish descent, John is affiliated with the Episcopal Church. After receiving his primary education at McKinley School and his secondary schooling at John Marshall, where he was graduated in 1948, John enrolled at Bowling Green as a freshman. Besides being a member of Chi Alpha, John is also a member of the varsity tennis squad.

Jack Warren Marchand

Jack was born in Cleveland, Ohio, on August 26, 1930. His present residence is in South Euclid, Ohio, at 1325 Avondale Road. Of Scotch-English parentage, Jack is a member of the Christian Science Church. After attending Noble and Monticello Junior High Schools, he enrolled at Cleveland Heights High School. However, his family moved to the West Coast and he was graduated from El Monte High School in El Monte, California in 1948. At Bowling Green, Jack is affiliated with the Student Christian Fellowship and the Square Dance Club. Enrolled in the College of Liberal Arts, Jack hopes to graduate in June of 1953.

William Franklin Maurer

Bill was born in Easton, Ohio, on November 2, 1931. At the present time, he hails Rittman, Ohio as his home town. Of German-Swiss parentage, Bill is affiliated with the United Brethren Church. He attended Doylestown Schools and graduated from the Senior High School in 1946. He was, at the time of graduation, voted the most outstanding boy of the senior class. Enrolled in the College of Business Administration, Bill is majoring in Personnel Administration and hopes to graduate in 1953.

John Andrew Rogers, Jr.

John, who resides at R.R. #2, Roscoe, Illinois, is of Scotch-Irish parentage. He was born in Hammond, Indiana on June 15, 1929. Affiliated with the Lutheran Church, John was graduated from Hiram High School of Rockford, Illinois in 1947 after receiving his elementary education in Harlem Grade and Lovejoy Elementary Schools in Rockford. High school achievements included Editorship of the Annual and affiliation with the "H" Club and varsity track. At Bowling Green, he is a member of the Square Dance Club and Student Christian Fellowship. An accounting major in the College of Business Administration, John hopes to graduate in 1953.

Harold N. Paul

A resident of Woodhull, New York, Harold was born in that town on August 3, 1929. The son of English and Welsh parents, he is affiliated with the protestant religion. He attended schools in Woodhull, where he was graduated from the Senior High School in 1946. While in high school, Harold was active in sports, playing on the football and baseball teams. He previously attended Mohawk College before enrolling at Bowling Green where he is majoring in Distributive Education in the College of Education. Harold plans to graduate in 1950.

Paul Eugene Pfahler

A resident of Mansfield, Ohio, where he was born February 16, 1926, Paul now lives at 117 Gettings Place. The son of Irish and German parents, he is a member of the Episcopalian Church. He attended school in Mansfield where he was graduated from the Senior High School in 1943. While in high school, Paul was a member of the Hi-Y and Vocational Clubs besides playing on the football and baseball teams. Paul attended Ashland College before enrolling at Bowling Green where he is a major in Physical Education in the College of Education. Paul, who is married, plans to graduate in 1951. At Bowling Green, he is a member of the Falcon baseball team.

Merle Henry Herrington

Merle was born June 27, 1926, in Woodhull, New York, of English and German parents. He attended Woodhull elementary and secondary schools, graduating from high school in 1944. While in high school, Merle was a member of the baseball and basketball teams. At Bowling Green, he is a member of the Future Teachers of America. Merle plans to graduate in 1950 with a degree in Distributive Education.

Gerald Calvin Kiger

Jerry was born on August 4, 1928, in Whitehouse, Ohio, where he is presently residing. He received his education in the schools in Whitehouse, Ohio, graduating from high school in 1946. While in high school, Jerry was active in the school band. A senior and a major in music, Jerry is also a member of Alpha Phi Omega, Kappa Kappa Psi, and the Future Teachers of America. He is affiliated with the Methodist Church.

Ralph W. Scott
(Alumni)

Ralph was born in Cleveland, Ohio, and graduated from Bowling Green in February, 1950. His present residence is at 1332 West 105th Street in Cleveland. While at Bowling Green, Ralph was affiliated with Alpha Phi Omega, Phi Alpha Chi, Student Christian Fellowship, Men's Glee Club, and the Christian Science Organization. Of English descent, Ralph is affiliated with the Christian Science Church. He majored in Accounting and minored in Economics while doing undergraduate work at Bowling Green.

Ralph was one of the four founders of Chi Alpha Fraternity and served Treasurer and also as Historian for the fraternity.

Merle Emerson Taylor

Merle was born June 28, 1928, in Lima, Ohio, of American parents. He received his elementary and secondary education at Elida, Ohio, where he graduated in 1946. Before entering Bowling Green, Merle attended Findlay College for one year. He is majoring in Distributive Education in the College of Education and plans on graduating in June, 1950. A member of the Methodist Church, Merle resides at R.R. #2 in Elida, Ohio.

BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
F. J. PROUT, PRESIDENT
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

April 29, 1950

Mr. Ralph Burns,
National Executive Secretary,
Alpha Sigma Phi,
Delaware, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Burns:

It has been with a great deal of interest that I learned of your interest in the Chi Alpha group. From the beginning this has been a splendid group of young men with high ideals. The group was organized by several Boy Scout enthusiasts. This influence has been maintained throughout its history.

Because of the fine record, we were pleased to provide them dormitory accommodations in our Ivy Hall. Always we have planned to favor them in all requests they have made of our administration.

The above tells you our enthusiastic approval of Chi Alpha's petition to Alpha Sigma Phi.

Very truly yours,


President.

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BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

F. J. PROUT, PRESIDENT

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
RALPH G. HARSHMAN, DEAN

April 26, 1950

Executive Council
Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity

Gentlemen:

It is a pleasure to recommend Chi Alpha Fraternity who is petitioning Alpha Sigma Phi national social fraternity for a chapter.

I have watched with great interest the growth and the activities of the Chi Alpha Fraternity since its organization. I am pleased to say that it is made up of a group of exceedingly fine young men, men with high ideals who would rank well with fraternity men from any college in the United States.

Upon my recommendation and the recommendation of others they have concentrated their activities in general areas one of which has been scholarship. Since their organization they have ranked exceedingly high among the fraternities in scholarship standing. I am sure that they are anxious to carry on the high standard which they have set in this particular. They have also been interested in other activities which speaks well for their diversification.

I am confident that Chi Alpha will make a real contribution to Alpha Sigma Phi national social fraternity. I have, therefore, no hesitancy in recommending them to you for your careful consideration.

Very truly yours,

Ralph G. Harshman
Ralph G. Harshman, Dean

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BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

F. J. PROUT PRESIDENT

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
OFFICE OF THE DEAN

May 1, 1950

Executive Committee
Alpha Sigma Phi
c/o William A. Cameron
Ivy Dorm BGSU
Bowling Green, Ohio

Gentlemen:

It is my understanding that Chi Alpha fraternity is petitioning recognition of Alpha Sigma Phi, national social fraternity. I wish to supply a brief statement concerning this organization.

It has been my pleasure to meet and know a number of the young men who are members of Chi Alpha. They constitute a group of fine young men. They have established an excellent record on the campus. We believe that favorable consideration on the part of Alpha Sigma Phi will result in a chapter in which the national organization can be justly proud.

Sincerely yours,



H. Litherland, Dean
College of Education

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BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

F. J. PROUT, PRESIDENT

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS
J. R. OVERMAN, DEAN EMERITUS
K. H. MCFALL, DEAN

May 2, 1950

Executive Council of Alpha Sigma Phi
c/o Mr. William A. Cameron
Ivy Dorm
Bowling Green, Ohio

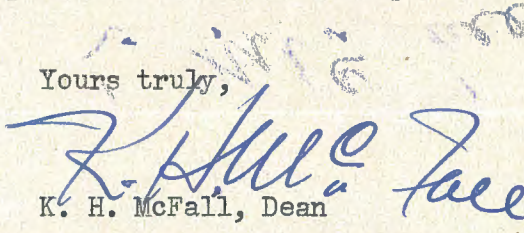
Gentlemen:

It is a pleasure to recommend Chi Alpha local fraternity to Alpha Sigma Phi. This group of young men has molded itself into a good chapter on our campus.

The group includes excellent leaders and a number of boys who are willing to follow good leadership.

The Chi Alpha group will be a credit to Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity.

Yours truly,


K. H. McFall, Dean

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BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

F. J. PROUT, PRESIDENT

GRADUATE SCHOOL

May 1, 1950

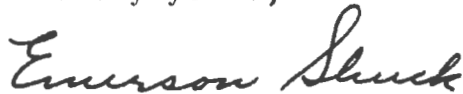
EMERSON SHUCK, DIRECTOR

Executive Council, Alpha Sigma Phi
c/o William A. Cameron,
Chairman of Petitioning Committee
of Chi Alpha Fraternity
Ivy Dorm
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio

Dear Sirs:

I recommend to you with pleasure the petitioning group of Chi Alpha, which is asking national affiliation with Alpha Sigma Phi. As a social group and local fraternity this group has established itself firmly on the campus, and has contributed to the advancement of the fraternity idea as it is practiced at Bowling Green. Of particular note is the excellent record that the group has maintained in scholarship. I believe that the national fraternity will be as pleased to recognize this group as our campus will be to welcome Alpha Sigma Phi.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Emerson Shuck".

Emerson Shuck, Director
The Graduate School

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BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

F. J. PROUT, PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF DEAN OF WOMEN
FLORENCE CURRIER

April 28, 1950

Executive Council of Alpha Sigma Phi
o/o Mr. Robert Burns
National Executive Secretary

Dear Sir:

Chi Alpha fraternity from our campus here at Bowling Green State University has my recommendation of their group for their petition to Alpha Sigma Phi.

I believe that this group has demonstrated during the time it has been a local that it is capable of taking its place among the other national groups by its record socially, scholastically, and in extra-curricular activities. I would be very happy to see it become a part of the national organization of Alpha Sigma Phi, and believe it could uphold your standards in a very creditable way.

Sincerely,



Florence Currier (Mrs. Jesse J.)
Dean of Women

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BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO
F. J. PROUT, PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR
JOHN W. BUNN, REGISTRAR

April 28, 1950

Executive Council
Alpha Sigma Phi

I am very pleased to recommend to you the petition of Chi Alpha to your national organization.

As a member of the committee on fraternities I have observed the growth of this local organization since its founding. I should like particularly to call your attention to the record of the group in scholarship. This year they achieved a group point average of 2.58. Among all the local and national fraternity organizations on campus this was second high. This is considerably higher than the all-men average of 2.27 as well as the all-fraternity average of 2.44. Chi Alpha has constantly ranked high among the fraternities on campus.

I am sure you will find the boys a distinguished addition to your national organization.


J. W. Bunn
Registrar

JWB:hw

BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

F. J. PROUT, PRESIDENT

NEWS BUREAU

201 ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
TELEPHONE 2634
PAUL W. JONES, DIRECTOR
JAMES LIMBACHER, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

April 26, 1950

Executive Council
Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity
c/o Mr. William A. Cameron
Chi Alpha Fraternity
Ivy Hall
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio

Dear Sirs:

I am very pleased to recommend Chi Alpha to Alpha Sigma Phi.

As a member of the President's Committee on Fraternities, I have had the pleasure of observing the splendid development of Chi Alpha since it was organized.

The group has established an enviable reputation, one worthy of recognition by an outstanding national like Alpha Sigma Phi.

Sincerely yours,

Paul W. Jones
Director, News Bureau

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BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

F. J. PROUT PRESIDENT

DEPARTMENT OF SPEECH

May 1 , 1950

Alpha Sigma Phi

Dear Sir:

I am writing you in regard to the petition of Chi Alpha, the members of which are desirous of becoming a chapter of Alpha Sigma Phi.

I am the senior advisor of this group of men and have served in this capacity since the beginning of the local some three years ago. I have watched them grow during that time with some interest. I can very frankly say at this time that this growth has been one of extreme virility, stability and progress. I am sure that if you accept their petition, you will get a chapter at Bowling Green that will do credit to your national organization.

Chi Alpha has done an outstanding piece of work as regards scholarship. For two terms it has ranked near the top in the entire group of fraternities on campus. The past term saw them lose first place by a small fraction of a percentage point. It would seem to me that this quality of scholarship is important because in reaching this level the men in this fraternity have placed first things first and have waived other things as unimportant and for which fraternities throughout the land have been, and are, being criticized.

Secondly, Chi Alpha, has developed with a great deal of stability. At no time have the members done , or been in, an untoward act on campus that has or could have reflected unfavorably on the group or on fraternities as a whole. The group has kept its financial status one of the highest on campus.

And, finally, Chi Alpha, has taken its place as an accepted member of fraternal groups at Bowling Green. They have competed in fraternity activities and have shared their obligations .

For these reasons, I believe Chi Alpha is eligible for admittance as a member of Alpha Sigma Phi.

Sincerely yours,
M. Harold Mickle

Director of Forensics

BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

F. J. PROUT, PRESIDENT

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

May 2, 1950

Gentlemen:

I am very glad to be able to give my endorsement to the Chi Alpha fraternity. I am fully satisfied from my experience as their adviser that they are a group of reputable men who will conduct their chapters in a way to bring credit to any national organization. They have managed their affairs in an intelligent and responsible way and have shown an attitude of loyalty and cooperation toward their officers. They have taken an active part in campus and inter-fraternity activities and at the same time their scholastic standing is second among all the fraternities in the campus indicates not only the high caliber of the members, but that they know how to put first things first. As I believe the administrative system of the University will attest, this record of cooperation with the school and its policies is excellent.

Again, may I say that I believe the

BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

F. J. PROUT, PRESIDENT

DEPARTMENT OF SPEECH

The Grand Council
Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity
31 Winter Street
Delaware, Ohio


Dear Brothers:

It is with considerable enthusiasm that I recommend ChiAlpha to the Grand Council of Alpha Sigma Phi.

In the consideration of the petition which Chi Alpha is submitting to Alpha Sigma Phi, I feel it is well to consider two vital factors: first, their stability and continued growth since their first days of establishment, and second, their achievement of recognition in the area of scholarship.

Personally, I shall be very pleased if and when Chi Alpha becomes a chapter of Alpha Sigma Phi.

Fraternally


Frederick G. Walsh

ALPHA CHI OMEGA

BETA PHI CHAPTER
BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

Dear Alpha Sigma Phi,

We, the members of Alpha Chi Omega, have heard that Chi Alpha local on our campus is petitioning your national.

We know that the members of this local group have worked hard to become worthy of your national and we feel that this reward for their efforts is due to them.

Despite the fact that they are just a local on campus, they have been participants on an equal par with our strong national groups.

We are proud of our Bowling Green State University and we feel that Alpha Sigma Phi will be a great asset to our campus.

Sincerely,

Lee McCall
Corresponding secretary

Alpha Delta Epsilon
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio

Alpha Sigma Phi
Miami University
Oxford, Ohio

Gentlemen:

Recently we heard that the Chi Alpha Local Fraternity was petitioning your organization Alpha Sigma Phi. We should like to recommend this fraternity to you as one which would be deserving as well as capable of membership in your group.

Since we are a rather newly established local sorority on the campus, we have been unable to have any combined social functions with Chi Alpha thus far. However, we have seen the results of their work in campus affairs and feel that they are a vital part of the University. They recently sponsored an all campus Anniversary Dance and Waltz Contest which was extremely successful.

In all contacts with them as individuals, we have found the Chi Alpha members to be consistently gentlemen. Their high standards of character, scholarship, and leadership alone would recommend them as a valuable asset to your organization.

We believe that the presence of your fraternity would be valuable on the Bowling Green campus. Chi Alpha is most capable of worthy representation of your group here.

Sincerely.

Lila Lesnick

Lila Lesnick

President--Alpha Delta Epsilon



Alpha Gamma Delta
Bowling Green, Ohio
April 26, 1950

Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity

Dear Sirs:

The girls of Alpha Gamma Delta Fraternity are happy to recommend for your consideration Chi Alpha local fraternity of Bowling Green State University.

This group shows much promise as a member of a national fraternity.

From all observations, they have met all standards and qualifications of the campus.

Chi Alpha seems to be a very well organized and stable group. As a local organization, they have proved themselves to be right on top.

We sincerely feel this group would be an asset to your national fraternity.

Yours truly,
Patricia Backe
President
Alpha Gamma Delta

ALPHA PHI FRATERNITY

President Beta Chapter
Officer Chapter

May 2, 1980

As president of Alpha Phi I would like to highly recommend the local fraternity Chi Alpha. The local Chi Alpha has been a very active fraternity, and has made the following contributions:

1. Scholastically they are rated second among the fraternities.
2. Members have been active in backstage work.
3. Several of the members have outstanding musical ability.
4. This fraternity has also participated in the all-fraternity sports program.
5. They have sponsored All-Campus formal and disc-dance.

As stated above, this local fraternity has made many valuable contributions to Bowling Green State University and therefore I would like to recommend this fine group to Alpha Sigma Phi, national fraternity.

Sincerely,

Alberta Gardner

Alberta Gardner
President of Alpha Phi

BETA MU CHAPTER
ALPHA XI DELTA FRATERNITY
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio

April 30, 1950

Alpha Sigma Phi National Fraternity

Dear Sirs:

We feel that Chi Alpha has come a long way in winning recognition and admiration of the other organizations.

They have entered into campus activities and have shown a great deal of spirit.

We feel they would be an asset to the national Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity and would do much to keep the name up high on our Bowling Green campus.

Sincerely,

Janet Dunson

Alpha Xi Delta
Beta Mu

CHI OMEGA

KAPPA DELTA CHAPTER

BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

April 29, 1950

William A Cameron
Chi Alpha Fraternity
Bowling Green, Ohio

Dear Mr. Cameron:

Chi Omega Fraternity is very glad to hear that you are petitioning Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity. Therefore we will be very glad to help you in any way that we can.

Chi Alpha has been a very active group particularly of late. The all campus formal you were sponsors of was a very nice dance. You have always cooperated in campus activities and your scholarship rating speaks for itself.

We wish you the very best of luck in your petitioning and we hope that it will someday soon be the Alpha Sigma Phi lounge you occupy.

Sincerely,



Phyllis Knapp, Pres.
Chi Omega Fraternity

Bowling Green, Ohio
April 30, 1950

○ To Whom It May Concern:

On behalf of the Beta Tau chapter of Delta Gamma I hereby submit this letter of commendation for Chi Alpha Fraternity.

Chi Alpha is regarded very highly by the national fraternities and societies of Bowling Green's campus. They regularly participate in activities as a social fraternity and are admired for their fine spirit.

○ As individuals and as a group Chi Alpha's are known for their high standards and ideals. These standards have gained for them a position of recognition

and respect.

One of their outstanding achievements was the receiving of second place in scholarship among the national and local fraternities on campus.

Delta Gamma recommends Chi Alpha Fraternity highly and would sincerely like to see such an outstanding group take its place among the national fraternities, as Alpha Sigma Phi.

Jon McLaughlin
President

Fraternally,
Dorothy Burger
Corresponding Sec.

GAMMA PHI BETA



BETA GAMMA CHAPTER
BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

April 29, 1950

Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity:

The Gamma Phi Beta Sorority is definitely favorable to the Chi Alpha Fraternity becoming national Alpha Sigma Phi.

Chi Alpha is active on campus and compares favorable with the national fraternities at Bowling Green.

Chi Alpha has a high quality of membership. As individuals they are well mannered, neat in appearance and popular on campus.

Sincerely,

Polly Miller

Polly Miller
President
Beta Gamma of Gamma
Phi Beta



KAPPA DELTA SORORITY

BETA MU CHAPTER

Bowling Green State University

Bowling Green, Ohio

May 1, 1950

To Whom It May Concern:

I am very pleased to recommend Chi Alpha, local fraternity on the Bowling Green campus, to Alpha Sigma Phi. In their years as a local, they have made considerable progress, and are now, in my opinion, ready to become affiliated with a national social fraternity.

*Sincerely yours,
Mary Jane Mac Dougall
President*

PHI MU FRATERNITY

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DELTA KAPPA CHAPTER
BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

April 26, 1950

Dear Alpha Sigma Phi,

The Delta Kappa chapter of Phi Mu would like to recommend Chi Alpha for membership in your fraternity. Since their recognition a year ago, they have made a great deal of progress in promoting their fraternity and ideals in this limited time.

They are a member of inter-fraternity council composed of ten national and five local fraternities on the Bowling Green State University campus. They participate in all campus activities, as inter-fraternity sports, campaigns and elections. Recently, they established an annual all-campus formal celebrating their anniversary, and received a great deal of publicity in awarding two loving cups for a competitive waltz contest during this dance. Last semester Chi Alpha attained the second highest scholastic average of the fraternities. They also have held many social functions as hay rides, open houses and teas. They have never failed to send representatives to all of our social events, and have made an excellent and lasting impression.

We of the Phi Mu Fraternity highly recommend the Chi Alpha Fraternity for membership in the national Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity. We are sure they will continue their success in the coming years and if accepted will uphold and promote the high ideals and standings of your fraternity.

Sincerely yours,

Phi Mu Fraternity

Phi Mu Fraternity

Sigma Rho Tau Sorority
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio
May 2, 1950

Alpha Sigma Phi:

I am happy to recommend Chi Alpha Fraternity to Alpha Sigma Phi. Although they have been on campus for a short while they have become an integral part of our fraternity system. They have cooperated well with all organizations to promote good feeling among the students on campus.

Yours very truly,

Anna Mae Bulgo

Anna Mae Bulgo, President
Sigma Rho Tau Sorority

THETA PHI SORORITY
BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

April 28, 1950

Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity:

As the president of a local sorority, I realize the difficulties which a local group encounters in trying to maintain its position on any campus. Chi Alpha, though recently organized, has grown rapidly both in number and in reputation.

Their interest and participation in campus activities, and their success in these activities has been observed by all groups on campus.

Through association with this group, Theta Phi has come to realize their merit and would highly recommend them to your national group.

Sincerely,

THETA SORORITY



Sue Walsh, President

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Alpha Tau Omega
Bowling Green, Ohio
April 27, 1950

Chi Alpha Fraternity
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio

To the Members of Chi Alpha:

We as members of the Ohio Epsilon Kappa Chapter of Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity take this opportunity of furthering your cause for national recognition.

The members of our great fraternity are most pleased to hear that the Chi Alpha Fraternity has set its sights on the national Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity. Indubitably, the Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity is among the top-notch fraternal organizations. They have established an outstanding reputation in American higher educational circles. Furthermore, Alpha Sigma Phi is held in the highest esteem by the other great fraternities of our land.

We sincerely hope that the Chi Alpha objective will culminate in the establishment of an Alpha Sigma Phi Chapter on our campus. Alpha Tau Omega definitely would welcome the friendly competition of such an outstanding fraternity at Bowling Green.

Sincerely yours,

Donald G. Stevenson

Donald G. Stevenson
President

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BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY

BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

May 3, 1950

Mr. William Cameron
Chi Alpha Fraternity
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio

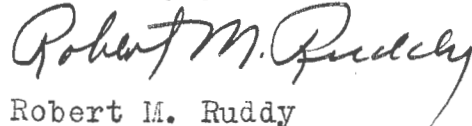
Dear Mr. Cameron:

In a recent letter to me you asked that I submit to you a letter of recommendation for Chi Alpha Fraternity to be included as a part of your petition to Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity. I find this no task at all. In fact, it is with great pleasure that I, on behalf of Beta Sigma, extend a very hearty recommendation to the national organization of which you desire to become a part.

My interest in your group has been a personal one because I have known and had very pleasant and memorable associations with many of your fraternity brothers all of my college days. I saw the embryo of your present group formed by several of my close friends and have since seen that group grow to take its due place among the other fraternities on our campus. The progress that Chi Alpha has made in these few years is enviable. In this progress your organization has evidenced high spirit, brotherhood, and an enviable record of scholarship, all basic and integral parts of a good fraternity. So be it.

If there is anything else that Beta Sigma can do to help in any way toward reaching your goal of becoming a chapter of Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity please do not hesitate to call upon us.

Sincerely yours,



Robert M. Ruddy
President

DELTA PHI BETA
130 SOUTH PROSPECT
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

April 26, 1950

Extension Committee
Alpha Sigma Phi
Delaware, Ohio

Gentlemen:

It is with great pleasure that I as President of another fraternity on the Bowling Green campus can recommend Chi Alpha to your national organization. Chi Alpha is a fraternity slightly older than Delta Phi Beta, but like Delta Phi Beta, it faced the same problems that confronted all fraternal groups formed on this campus in those days after the second World War when new fraternities were needed so much. Chi Alpha met the requirements of a stable, prospering fraternity or it would not have been recommended for recognition by the administration of the University or it would not have been recognized by Inter-Fraternity Council.

In addition, since the admission of both Chi Alpha and Delta Phi Beta to Inter-Fraternity Council, our group has found that Chi Alpha has demonstrated an interested and cooperative attitude toward both the Council as a whole and toward each individual fraternity.

In reference to Chi Alpha's campus recognition, I can state with truthfulness that the star of this group is constantly rising and that its campus prominence is increasing. The caliber of men is worthy of the name of Alpha Sigma Phi.

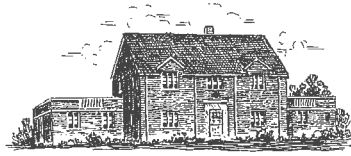
This fraternity does not feel that your national organization would be making any mistake by granting the petition of Chi Alpha for affiliation.

Yours truly,

Jack L. Myers

Jack L. Myers, President
Delta Phi Beta and
Phi Kappa Tau Colony

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DELTA TAU DELTA FRATERNITY
DELTA TAU CHAPTER BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

April 27, 1950

Petitioning Committee
Alpha Sigma Phi

Gentlemen;

We, the men of Delta Tau of Delta Tau Delta, wish to express our desire that the petition submitted by Chi Alpha Fraternity here at Bowling Green be given the utmost consideration. We have had the privilege of competing and serving with these men for some time and feel that they would be a worthy addition to any national organization. They have played a very active part in all campus functions and have the calibre of men to continue this trend.

Should you at any time in the future need further reference we will feel privileged to give same.

Sincerely yours,

Carl L. Huston
Carl L. Huston
President



BOWLING GREEN CHAPTER OF
DELTA UPSILON FRATERNITY
347 N. MAIN STREET
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

May 2, 1950

To Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity,

The Chi Alpha Fraternity since its inception has been rapidly becoming one of the most active Fraternities on the campus. The Fraternity has made a fine record of progress in its lifetime.

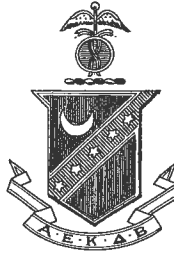
The Fraternity has a very fine tradition of high scholarship which shows the quality of men in the organization. Active participation in Fraternity sports has been successfully carried out. The men of Chi Alpha are taking an active part in the many social and campus activities here at Bowling Green.

Any local fraternity is not able to reach its peak until it has affiliated with a national fraternity. The feeling of security and pride the many chapters and fine tradition give to local groups enables them to become a better fraternity. The Delta Upsilon Fraternity believes that the Chi Alpha Fraternity is ready to become a valuable part of a national fraternity. We are proud to add our name to the many who wish Alpha Sigma Phi to join us at Bowling Green.

Sincerely,

The Delta Upsilon Fraternity

THE KAPPA SIGMA
FRATERNITY



EPSILON ETA CHAPTER
BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY,
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

April 25, 1950

Chi Alpha Fraternity
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio

Gentlemen:

The Members of Kappa Sigma are aware of the situation in which you find yourselves in petitioning Alpha Sigma Phi in the Immediate future, and we would like to express our sincere wishes for a successful campaign.

The record which you have made on this campus speaks for itself and is permanent proof of your worth. Alpha Sigma Phi has a definite opportunity to improve it's position in the national fraternity picture by accepting your group. The University and your fellow-fraternities are justly proud of you as emblematic of the fraternity system; may your efforts be rewarded.

Sincerely,

William Kahl Jr. G.M.
Kappa Sigma Fraternity

Epsilon-Eta Chapter

PHI DELTA FRATERNITY
BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

April 28, 1950

Alpha Sigma Phi
General Headquarters

Gentlemen:

It is with great pleasure that Phi Delta Fraternity recommends to you the Chi Alpha Fraternity. The men of this fraternity have worked hard in the time that they have been local, and have risen to take their rightful place along side the older established national fraternities here on campus.

A great amount of observation and consideration are given to the selection of potential members which results in a well rounded group of men highly organized in all fraternity functions.

The distinction they have gained at Bowling Green State University would make an asset to a good national fraternity.

Sincerely,

Harry Coleman

Harry Coleman
President

PI KAPPA ALPHA

Delta Beta Chapter,
Bowling Green State University,
Bowling Green, Ohio.

April 30, 1950.

Alpha Sigma Phi,
National Fraternity.

Gentlemen:

It is indeed a pleasure for us to recommend the Chi Alpha local fraternity at Bowling Green State University for admission to your national group. The brothers of Pi Kappa Alpha know that your group, as well as Chi Alpha, will benefit from this association.

Chi Alpha has long been an integral part of the campus life at this school. They are one of the stronger and more active of the fraternities on this campus. They participate actively in nearly every campus event possible by entry, and for more than two years have been an important link in the fraternity system at Bowling Green.

It is then for us, not only as a campus competitor, but as the oldest Greek Order at this school, to recommend this group to you. We are certain that they will do justice to the name of Alpha Sigma Phi.

Ralph Klumbach Pres.

Sincerely,

Gerald W. Henderson Sec.

Delta Beta Chapter,
PI KAPPA ALPHA Fraternity:
Bowling Green, Ohio

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OHIO KAPPA
SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON
BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

May 3, 1950

National Headquarters
Alpha Sigma Phi

Gentlemen:

This letter pertains to the application of Chi Alpha local fraternity to your national organization. We of Ohio Kappa, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, recommend this group as an asset to a good national fraternity.

We feel that they have distinguished themselves on the Bowling Green State University campus. This has been done in competition with 9 national fraternities already established.

We are happy to participate in their application and recommend them for acceptance into Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity.

Sincerely yours,

Fred Rudolph

Fred Rudolph, E. A.



SIGMA NU FRATERNITY
EPSILON CHI CHAPTER
BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

May 1, 1950

To Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity:

Epsilon Chi of Sigma Nu Fraternity heartily recommends Chi Alpha Fraternity as a prospective chapter of Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity.

In our contacts with members of Chi Alpha Fraternity on the interfraternity council, in fraternity intramurals, and in classes we find them gentlemen and good sports in every respect. They have always been very cooperative in all campus drives and other joint activities.

Chi Alpha Fraternity has been active in all fraternity intramurals and their scholastic average is high among the fraternities here at Bowling Green State University.

We of Sigma Nu believe Chi Alpha Fraternity to be an outstanding local fraternity worthy of consideration by any national fraternity.

Sincerely,

Mark W. Greer

Commander
Epsilon Chi Chapter
Sigma Nu Fraternity



THEIA CHI

May 1, 1950

To: Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity

Gamma Mu Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity
heartily recommends Chi Alpha Fraternity to you for
your action on their petition.

Chi Alpha Fraternity possesses men of high
moral standing. These men are active in campus life and
participate in campus functions.

This group has advanced a great deal in the
time that they have been on Bowling Green's campus. With
the capable leadership of your national, they will continue
to advance.

Sincerely yours,

Jack L. Hollingsworth

Jack L. Hollingsworth
President, Gamma Mu Chapter
Theta Chi Fraternity
Bowling Green State University



Beta Eta Chapter
Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity

611 North Main Street
BOWLING GREEN, OHIO

May 1, 1950

Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity

Dear Sirs:

In the past years we, the Beta Eta Chapter, Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity, have had a very pleasant association with the local Chi Alpha Fraternity.

We have met in our classes where they have been near the top many times. We have met in sports where their courage, stamina, and superb sportsmanship made them outstanding. We have met in Bowling Green's social life where they have been excellent hosts and very enjoyable guests. We have enjoyed meeting and knowing the men of the Chi Alpha Fraternity.

Zeta Beta Tau has had a great respect for the men of Chi Alpha and we urge you to consider them with a broad understanding and open mind. Our banners are flying for the men of Chi Alpha Fraternity.

Sincerely yours,

Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity
Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity

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Women's Independent Society
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio

Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity

Gentlemen;

I have received a letter from W. A. Cameron,
Chairman of Petitioning Committee, Chi Alpha Fraternity,
requesting a letter of recommendation.

As individuals, the men of Chi Alpha have
proven themselves to behave at all times in a
gentlemanly manner, to maintain high scholar-
ship, and to promote the growth of their Fraternity.

As an organization Chi Alpha has
created a position on campus that is highly
commendable. This Fraternity has made a
splendid improvement since they were first
recognized.

If you desire any further information
about Chi Alpha Fraternity, I am more

than willing to assist you.

Very truly yours,

Jean Esselburn, President

Women's Independent Society

M. I. S. House
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio
April 26, 1950

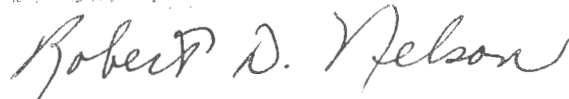
Mr. William A. Cameron
Chi Alpha Fraternity, Ivy Hall
Bowling Green State University
Bowling Green, Ohio

Dear Mr. Cameron:

It has been called to our attention that Chi Alpha Fraternity is in the process of petitioning Alpha Sigma Phi national social fraternity. We of the Men's Independent Society would like to go on record as recommending said fraternity for acceptance.

In-so-far as they have always been a credit to Bowling Green State University, participating in the various campus activities, maintaining a high scholastic standing, and accepting only men of high character, we think that they would be a credit to the above stated national organization.

Sincerely,



Robert D. Nelson
President, M. I. S.

RDN:co

BALANCE SHEET
CHI ALPHA FRATERNITY
April 28, 1950

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS:

CASH:

Social Fund	\$295.33	
General Fund	76.26	
House Fund	112.72	
Pledge Fund	12.13	
Athletic Fund	105.44	
Petty Cash Fund	20.00	
Total Cash in Funds		621.83

RECEIVABLES:

Dues	\$ 24.00	
Fees	103.00	
Loans	45.00	
Delinquent	18.00	
Assessments	55.00	
Total Receivables		<u>245.00</u>

Total Current Assets 866.88

FIXED ASSETS:

Pledge Pins	\$ 41.79	
Fraternity Pins	45.00	
Furniture and Fixtures	393.84	
Athletic Equipment	13.25	
TOTAL FIXED ASSETS		<u>493.88</u>

TOTAL ASSETS 1,360.76

LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH

LIABILITIES:

Prepaid Dues Income	\$3.00	
Total Liabilities		\$ 3.00

NET WORTH: 1,357.76

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH: 1,360.76



HISTORY OF BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

In 1910 the General Assembly passed an act authorizing the Governor to appoint a commission to locate two new normal schools, one in northeastern Ohio and one in northwestern Ohio. The commission chose Bowling Green as the location of the school for northwestern Ohio. On June 30, 1911, the Board of Trustees, appointed by the Governor, organized, and on February 16, 1912, elected the President of the University.

On September 15, 1914, the University opened in temporary quarters, and in September, 1915, classes were held for the first time in the present Administration and Science buildings.

In 1929 the General Assembly enacted the Parsons-Lanna bill which changed the name of the Institution to Bowling Green State College, and authorized the establishment of courses leading to the degrees of Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science.

The ninety-first General Assembly at its regular session in 1935 enacted legislation changing the local name to Bowling Green State University, and authorizing the establishment of a College of Liberal Arts and a

College of Business Administration and the granting of the degrees of Masters of Arts.

In September, 1937, Roy E. Offenhour became the University's second President. However, because of his untimely death the following December, Dr. Williams, who was the first President, came out of retirement to act as President until the appointment in April, 1939, of Frank J. Prout, the present president of Bowling Green State University.

ORGANIZATION

For convenience of administration, Bowling Green State University is organized into four divisions, as follows:

1. THE COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS, which offers courses in the arts and sciences, leading to the degree of Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science.
2. THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, which offers courses in elementary, secondary and special education, leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Education.
3. THE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, which offers courses in various fields of business, leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Business Administration.
4. THE GRADUATE SCHOOL, which offers work in a number of departments leading to the degree of Master

of Arts, Master of Education, Master of Science in Education or Master of Science in Business Administration.

As of this semester, 1950, the student body enrollment is 4,650. They are facilitated by approximately 250 faculty members.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

The University is located on a tract of 240 acres in the northeastern part of Bowling Green. Forty-two campus buildings are available for the year 1949-1950. Besides these permanent structures there are a number of temporary buildings, constructed by the University in cooperation with the Federal Government, which houses war veterans. Trailers and apartments also are provided for married veterans.

Following are the principal campus buildings:

The Administration Building - contains the administrative offices, the auditorium, a large social room, and classrooms.

Science Building - houses the departments of Biology, Chemistry and Physics. A modern building is now being constructed to replace the present Science Building.

The Library - is housed in a three-story building on a plot near the center of the campus. This building was constructed in 1927 at a cost of \$350,000, including

furniture and equipment. It was designed to provide adequate seating capacity for readers and space for the storage, not only of the present book collections, but also of future acquisitions.

The reference room on the second floor has a seating capacity of 325 and shelving to accomodate 6,000 books. The periodical room of the third floor has a seating capacity of 100 and shelving to accommodate current magazines and several thousand bound volumes.

The book collection contains about 95,000 bound volumes, and in addition, some 75,000 unbound government documents prepared for use. This library is designated by the United Statesgovernment as a Depository Library and receives about 5,000 federal documents each year. A file of Ohio State documents is also maintained.

A list of 707 magazines is received regularly. Most of these are bound to preserve the magazines and to facilitate their use. The library subscribes to the recognized indexes, which aid in the use of periodicals.

A branch of the library, consisting of elementary and juvenile books, is housed in the Laboratory School for the convenience of supervisors and students. This branch contains about 5,000 volumes.

The Laboratory School - houses the campus elementary school, used for observation and teaching, and by the departments of education, geography and psychology.

Practical Arts Building - Provides modern accommodations for the departments of business education, home economics and music.

Graphic Arts Building - Used by the graphic arts, engineering drawing and R.O.T.C. departments. Maintenance and storage functions are also provided there.

Fine Arts Building - Houses the Art Department and classrooms.

Men's Physical Education Building - has a large playing floor, running track, locker and team rooms, along with complete equipment for athletics and recreation for men. It also is equipped for the accommodation of large audiences and is used for social gatherings.

Women's Physical Education Building - Contains two large playing floors, classrooms and facilities for games and sports. During the housing emergency, part of this building had been converted into a dormitory for women.

Natatorium - Contains a large pool which meets the standard regulations. It is used for intramural meets and recreational swimming for both men and women, for inter-

collegiate meets and for instructions.

Johnston Hospital - A modern, well equipped hospital of a 31-bed capacity. The University Health Service is located here.

Kohl Hall, Chatzel Hall and Williams Hall - Three large dormitories for women, each of which is equipped with a laundry for the use of students, social rooms, and a large dining hall. In the latter is a training center for institutional management courses.

Ivy Hall - Housing facilities for men students.

Twenty-Three Cottage-Type Residences - Smaller dormitories which house, in addition to other men and women, 13 of the campus sororities and fraternities. Each has lounge rooms, kitchen and dining rooms.

Student Union - Provides accommodations for the social life of the students. Meals and refreshments are served here.

Industrial Arts Building - Located at the University Airport and provides well equipped quarters for classes in Industrial Arts.

Stadium Club - Living quarters for men, constructed in the space under the University Stadium. The concrete

stadium seats 3,145.

Gate Theater - An experimental theater with a seating capacity of 350. Classrooms and laboratories for the speech department are located here.

Classroom Buildings - In addition to the above, there are three temporary buildings used for general classroom purposes.

The Commons - A building containing a dining room with a seating capacity of 1,000, a lounge and social rooms.

The Golf Course - The area surrounding the campus pond and portions of the Arboretum have been developed into a nine-hole golf course for student use.

River Laboratory - Established in 1944, about 14 miles northwest of the campus, on the Maumee River at Grand Rapids, Ohio. Courses in field biology are offered and research facilities are available to advanced students during the summer session.

University Airport - Located near the campus and is one of the most modern and well equipped airports in the state specializing in students aviation courses.

The Administration Building - contains a flight office, ready room, parachute room, rest rooms and executive offices. Aircraft maintenance facilities

consist of a large shop with all modern equipment, supervised by a CAA certified aircraft and engine mechanic. Three hangars furnish ample storage for training planes. The landing area consists of 120 acres of level, well drained sod, with three surfaced runways, 2,460 feet long, and one runway, 3,000 feet long.

ATTACHED PLANS FOR FUTURE DEVELOPMENT

The physical facilities of Bowling Green State University are expanding each year. Two new men's dormitories and a University Chapel have been added in the school year of 1949-1950. A new heating plant and one unit of the Chemistry Building will be ready for use during the present school year.

A tentative proposal has been made for a possible new and much larger Student Union. Questionnaires were passed out to the student body last semester inquiring what would be liked in the Student Union, if possible. As yet, however, no further information has been disclosed as to the reality of one.



HISTORY OF B.G.S.U. INTER-FRATERNITY COUNCIL

The Inter-Fraternity Council of Greek Letter Fraternities was established on Bowling Green's campus in 1931. At this time there were only three members represented in the Council. The need for a governing body arose out of a series of petty incidents which took place in inter-group relationships. There were only one hundred and thirty men on Bowling Green's campus at the time and, as a result, the competition for pledges was keen. Other difficulties stemmed from the varying entrance requirements of the individual groups. In an attempt to standardize regulations, each fraternity voluntarily sent representatives to meet with two faculty advisors and thus gave birth to the first Inter-Fraternity Council on Bowling Green's campus.

The Council continued to grow with the University until World War II, when its activities were greatly curtailed due to the lack of males on campus. The end of the war brought a tremendous influx of male students to Bowling Green State University, and the number of Greek letter Fraternities increased to meet this new demand for social activities on the Fraternity level.

Today, Bowling Green can boast of fifteen organized social fraternities, both local and national, as being present on its campus.

The Inter-Fraternity Council, until recently, was composed of the President of each fraternity and one additional member from each group. Each group was allowed one vote on matters of policy, regardless of how many representatives of the group were present. In essence, it was a council of presidents. However, in 1949, the Constitution was amended and now the Council is composed of two representatives from each group, either elected by the group or appointed by the president of the group.

The Council has the power to regulate inter-fraternity relations in matters concerning themselves and their relations with the university. The faculty advisor of the Council is Mr. Arch B. Conklin, Dean of Students.

NATIONAL FRATERNITIES

ALPHA TAU OMEGA; OHIO EPSILON KAPPA CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1943
Number of active members	64
Senior faculty advisor	Dr. W. Steidman
DELTA TAU DELTA; DELTA TAU CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU.	1948
Number of active members	53
Senior faculty advisor	Dr. J. Goo
DELTA UPSILON; PI THETA CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1949
Number of active members	56
Senior faculty advisor	Mr. H. Voskuil
KAPPA SIGMA; EPSILON ETA CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1947
Number of active members	62
Senior faculty advisor	Mr. L. Fauloy
PI KAPPA ALPHA; DELTA BETA CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1942
Number of active members	68
Senior faculty advisor	Mr. I. Millor
SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON; OHIO KAPPA CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1945
Number of active members	80
Senior faculty advisor	Dr. G. Cooke
SIGMA CHI; DELTA KAPPA CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1947
Number of active members	71
Senior faculty advisor	Dr. F. Mesorvo
SIGMA NU; EPSILON CHI CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1946
Number of active members	61
Senior faculty advisor	Mr. R. Mc Kay

THETA CHI; GAMMA MU CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1948
Number of active members	63
Senior faculty advisor	Mr. H. Bertodatto

ZETA BETA TAU; PHI BETA MU CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1947
Number of active members	22
Senior faculty advisor	Mr. H. Rappaport

NATIONAL SORORITIES

ALPHA CHI OMEGA; BETA PHI CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1944
Number of active members	62
Senior faculty advisor	Miss E. Whitver

ALPHA GAMMA DELTA; ALPHA YAPPA CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1945
Number of active members	61
Senior faculty advisor	Mrs. C. Row

ALPHI PHI; BETA OMICRON CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1943
Number of active members	68
Senior faculty advisor	Mrs. R. McKay

ALPHA XI DELTA; BETA MU CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1943
Number of active members	65
Senior faculty advisor	Mrs. J. Gee

CHI OMEGA; KAPPA DELTA CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1947
Number of active members	48
Senior faculty advisor	Mrs. P. Jones

DELTA GAMMA; BETA MU CHAPTER	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1943
Number of active members	67
Senior faculty advisor	Dr. F. Williamson

GAMMA PHI BETA; BETA GAMMA CHAPTER Year chapter was established at BGSU Number of active members Senior faculty advisor	1943 62 Miss F. Baird
KAPPA DELTA; BETA MU CHAPTER Year chapter was established at BGSU Number of active members Senior faculty advisor	1946 61 Mrs. J. Wenrick
PHI MU; DELTA KAPPA CHAPTER Year chapter was established at BGSU Number of active members Senior faculty advisor	1946 54 Miss I. Barker

LOCAL FRATERNITIES

BETA SIGMA National fraternity affiliated with Year chapter was established at BGSU Number of active members Senior faculty advisor	Phi Kappa Psi 1947 40 Mr. O. Montgomery
DELTA P E LSI National fraternity affiliated with Year chapter was established at BGSU Number of active members Senior faculty advisor	Phi Kappa Tau 1949 25 Mr. H. Ellis
GAMMA THETA MU National fraternity affiliated with Year chapter was established at BGSU Number of active members Senior faculty advisor	Theta Xi 1947 79 Mr. W. Schlender
PHI DELTA National fraternity affiliated with Year chapter was established at BGSU Number of active members Senior faculty advisor	Phi Delta Theta 1946 59 Dr. E. Smith

LOCAL SORORITIES

SIGMA RHO TAU

National sorority affiliated with	None
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1946
Number of active members	41
Senior faculty advisor	Mrs. L. Hafkin

THETA PHI

National sorority affiliated with	Phi Theta
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1945
Number of active members	38
Senior faculty advisor	Miss A. Payne

ALPHA DELTA EPSILON

National sorority affiliated with	None
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1950
Number of active members	10
Senior faculty advisor	Miss J. Brodie

SOCIAL ORGANIZATION FOR WOMEN

WOMEN'S INDEPENDENT SOCIETY

Affiliated with National Independent Student Association	
Year chapter was established at BGSU	1946
Number of active members	38
Senior faculty advisor	Mrs. L. Leeland

SOCIAL ORGANIZATIONS FOR MEN

MEN'S INDEPENDENT SOCIETY

Year chapter was established at BGSU	1948
Number of active members	66
Senior faculty advisor	Mr. R. Moad

SIGMA PSI OMEGA

Year chapter was organized at BGSU	1948
Number of active members	34
Senior faculty advisor	Mr. R. Richey

CAMPUS HONORARIES AND CLUBS

ALPHA EPSILON DELTA

National honor society for pre-medical students.
Dr. Frank G. Meserve, faculty advisor.

ALPHA PHI OMEGA

National recognition society in campus service.
Dr. Everett Myers, faculty advisor.

ASSOCIATION OF CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Elementary teachers.
Miss Cora Day, faculty advisor.

ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN STUDENTS

All Women students.
Dean Florence Currier, faculty advisor.

BETA PI THETA

National recognition society for students in French.
Dr. Cecil Row, faculty advisor.

BOOK AND MOTOR

Scholastic honor society.
Dr. Walter A. Zaugg, faculty advisor.

CAP AND GOWN

Senior women's leadership honor society.
Dean Florence Currier, faculty advisor.

COMTE CLUB

Sociology majors and minors.
Dr. C. Glenn Swanson, faculty advisor.

DELTA PHI DELTA

National recognition society in art.
Mr. Esko Rentola, faculty advisor.

DELTA SIGMA

Recognition society for men in journalism.
Mr. John Miro, faculty advisor.

EL CIRCULO HISPANOAMERICANO

Students taking Spanish.

Miss Florence Baird, faculty advisor.

EMERSON LITERARY SOCIETY

Club in parliamentary procedure.

Mr. Ralph E. Mead, faculty advisor.

EPSILON PI TAU

National recognition society in industrial arts.

Mr. Roland Torgerson, faculty advisor.

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

Students in education.

Dr. John E. Gee, faculty advisor.

GAMMA THETA UPSILON

National recognition society in earth science.

Mr. Joseph Buford, faculty advisor.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

Discussion group in international affairs.

Dr. Jacquelin Timm, faculty advisor.

KAPPA ALPHA MU

National recognition society in photo journalism.

Mr. Donald Peterson, faculty advisor.

KAPPA DELTA PI

National honor society in education.

Dr. Walter A. Zaugg, faculty advisor.

KAPPA KAPPA PSI

National recognition society for bandmen.

Mr. Arthur Zuelzke, faculty advisor.

KAPPA MU EPSILON

National recognition society in mathematics.

Dr. Frank C. Ogg, faculty advisor.

KAPPA PHI

National Methodist women's group.
Mrs. Virgil Taylor, faculty advisor.

NEWMEN CLUB

Catholic students
Rev. Father Niotfeld, faculty advisor.

OMICRON DELTA KAPPA

National senior men's leadership honor society.
Dr. Emerson C. Shuck, faculty advisor.

PANHELLENIC COUNCIL

Governing body of sororities.
Dean Florence Currier, faculty advisor.

PHI ALPHA CHI

National recognition society in accounting.
Mr. William Schmeltz, faculty advisor.

PHI SIGMA MU

National recognition society in music education.
Miss Myrtle Jensen, faculty advisor.

PI KAPPA DELTA

National recognition society in forensics.
Mr. M. Harold Mikle, faculty advisor.

PI OMEGA PI

National recognition society in business education.
Miss Betty Blackburn, faculty advisor.

PI SIGMA ALPHA

National recognition society in political science.
Dr. Charles Barrell, faculty advisor.

PSI CHI

National recognition society in psychology.
Dr. John Wenrick, faculty advisor.

QUILL TYPE

Business education club.
Mrs. Orra I. Mutter, faculty advisor.

SIGSIC

Secret honor society for men.
Dr. Frank J. Prout, faculty advisor.

SIGMA HONORARY ASSOCIATION

Business administration students.
Dr. Ralph G. Harshman, faculty advisor.

SIGMA ALPHA ETA

National recognition society for speech correctionists.
Miss Adeline McClelland, faculty advisor.

SIGMA DELTA PI

National recognition society in Spanish.
Miss Florence Baird, faculty advisor.

SIGMA DELTA PSI

National recognition society for men in physical
education.
Mr. David Matthews, faculty advisor.

SIGMA PHI

Recognition society for women in journalism.
Mrs. Lee Z. Hafkin, faculty advisor.

SIGMA PI RHO

National recognition society for students in Latin.
Miss Mable Drennan, faculty advisor.

SIGMA TAU DELTA

National recognition society in English.
Dr. Rea McCain, faculty advisor.

S O M E L I F E C O M P A S S

Faculty and student Masons.
Mr. Wilbur Abell, faculty advisor.

STUDENT CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Inter-denominational religious group.
Rev. Hollis Hayward, faculty advisor.

THETA ALPHA PHI

National recognition society in dramatics.
Dr. Eldon T. Smith, faculty advisor.

VARSITY CLUB

Men athletes.
Mr. Warren Stollar, faculty advisor.

WORLD STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Students from foreign countries.
Mr. F. E. Beatty, faculty advisor.